KIRF: Fractions of amounts



Pupils should already be to find fraction of amounts mentally.

Concrete: 20

What can this look like?

Pictorial:

20 4 8

Abstract:

$$\frac{1}{5}$$
 of 20 = 4

$$\frac{2}{5}$$
 of 20 = 8

$$\frac{3}{4}$$
 of 32 = 24

$$\frac{3}{4}$$
 of 700 = 525

Questions to ask at home

What is $\frac{3}{5}$ of 25?

Can you draw a bar model to represent $\frac{2}{3}$ of 60?

Key vocabulary

Denominator: The bottom number in a fraction. Shows the number of equal parts in the whole. Non unit fraction: A fraction where the

numerator is not one.

Numerator: The top number in a fraction. Shows

how many parts we have.

Unit fraction: A fraction where the numerator is

Things to try

Solve it: $\frac{3}{5}$ of ___= 15 Use the bar model to help you. How many parts are in the whole? How many parts do you have? How many parts does the 15 represent?

Prove it: use the bar model to prove $\frac{4}{7}$ of 56 = 32 is correct.

Websites:

https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Flash.aspx?f=bingofractionsofamountsv3

https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/264/Crystal-crash-fractionsnumbers